

NO. 101.

W. P. WALTON.

OUR esteemed but somewhat obtuse contemporary, the *Southern Reporter*, flings this easily answered conundrum at our head: "Bro. Walton, why did you mention the reported assertion of Mr. Waddle and condemn it, if you are not taking a side in this race?" We mentioned it because we had it upon good authority that he used the language and we condemned it because it is thoroughly undemocratic. Mr. Waddle has denied that he was quoted correctly and the *INTERIOR JOURNAL* has published his statement, together with an endorsement of Mr. Waddle's character for veracity. If Mr. Warren had used such language we would have condemned it just the same. That's the kind of a journalist we are, brother Rucker. We are for making both candidates toe the mark, but do not consider it the duty of a democratic paper to take sides when both candidates are good men and good democrats.

THE average legislator is a patriotic individual, but it is usually at the expense of the public, which is not disposed to appreciate it. State pride, we suppose they would call it, took many of our law-makers to Louisville Friday to see Mary Anderson, consequently there was barely a sufficient number of them at their posts Saturday to transact business and nothing was done. Yesterday was Washington's birthday and of course no self-respecting body of men in a legislative capacity could so far forget its duty to be patriotic as to work on such a day, therefore another was lost, for which the people paid over \$1,000. But perhaps after all, it is better and cheaper so it is, as doing nothing is preferable to undoing all that is good and doing only that which is of no consequence or absolutely objectionable.

NO BETTER evidence that Sam Small, Sam Jones yells fellow, formerly known as "Old Bill" and noted for his ability to get away with more whiskey than any man of his size in the South, is a truly converted man could be adduced than the fact that he has, since his change of heart, paid off over \$1,200 of debts contracted during his bibulous days. If more of the alleged converted people would pay greater attention to meeting their obligations, the world would have much more confidence in their professions, for it knows a man can not be a Christian and make no effort to obey the scriptural command: "Pay that thou owest." "One no man anything."

IT is now intimated with strong and reasonable grounds for belief that Mrs. Riley Boyd did not commit suicide, but was murdered by the colored mistress of the creature who had sworn to love and cherish the woman that he so foully wronged. We are not surprised at anything such a man would do or connive at and we only hope that, if true, it can be proven so that all connected with the terrible affair may atone at the end of ropes, as much as the taking of such worthless lives can, for the foulest deed it is possible to conceive.

A CINCINNATI man named his baby John Sherman and at once notified the Statesman of the fact, expecting to receive some tangible token from his easily acquired fortune. But when the Cincinnati received this and nothing more he wished he had named his offspring after a more appreciative and less frigid individual: "I send kindest regards to the mother and a kiss to the baby." It is well the kiss was sent by letter else it would have frozen the embryo statesman to death.

WHAT'S the matter with Dick Jones, of Louisville? We fear his democracy is not of the genuine stamp. He has once or twice wandered off after other strange gods and now we hear from him as voting against the caucus nominee for public printer. An investigating committee is evidently needed to determine whether the Colonel is on this side of the fence, astraddle or clean over on the other side.

YESTERDAY'S *Courier-Journal* contained this gratifying item: Mr. Waterson had another good day yesterday, there being no incident to mar the belief that he is going to be a well men again. He is feeble still, and not wholly past the danger line, but we feel that he is on the open highway and that he will soon begin to show marked signs of improvement. He was sleeping at midnight.

The Frankfort Yeoman, like the rest of us, is thoroughly disgusted with the Legislature, which it says has consumed more of its time and done nothing of practical benefit to the public. It also adds: From present appearances this Legislature will be the most expensive luxury in which Kentucky has ever indulged.

THE bill for the relief of Gen. Fitz John Porter has at last passed the House by a majority of 53. The Senate ought to follow suit and do justice to the old soldier, whose only fault seems to be that he is a democrat. But with Black Jack Logan to fight him Fitz John is still far from getting his desert.

THE inevitable scalp law is again before the Legislature, as if there were not already enough drains and excuses to raid the public treasury, which contains \$500,000 less than nothing. The man who reads the reports of the legislative doings is bound to get very tired.

THE Senate refused to concur in the House resolution extending the session of the General Assembly beyond sixty days, but we've got money which says that it will do so. This paper reaches all of its 10,000 readers.

SPEAKING of the death of the great temperance lecturer, John B. Gough, an exchange says: He was in every respect a remarkable man. He possessed wonderful magnetic power over his audiences and his oratory was of the kind that awayed the erring. He probably addressed more people in his day than any man that ever lived in this country. He was a veritable David in the camps of the temperance warriors. No man ever converted more drunkards than Gough, and no man's death ever left such a vacancy in the ranks of the temperance advocates.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

—By a vote of 70 to 23 the House resolved to indefinitely extend the session.

—A bill to allow the Boyle county court to collect an ad valorem tax is before the House.

—It is announced that Representative Adam Renaker will be married at Cincinnati on the 25th inst., to Miss Hattie M. Jones.

—Mr. Bobbitt has introduced a bill to authorize the people of Lincoln county to vote on prohibiting the sale of liquors in said county.

—The bill to appropriate \$3,000 to J. Soule Smith, commissioner for Kentucky at the New Orleans Exposition, was reported defeated.

—Senator Rigney has offered a resolution requiring afternoon sessions of the Senate after Monday, beginning at 3 p. m. and lasting two hours.

—Mr. Spalding wants a law passed to force every man to pay a poll tax of \$2 for the school fund, which he calculates will put \$800,000 in the treasury annually.

—Senator Harris' bill in regard to the penitentiary muddle passed 23 to 9. It gives Mr. South his pay for the time he was out of office, and leaves the management of the penitentiary in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners. If the latter choose to discharge South they can do so.

—A bill has been introduced in the Senate to punish both the man who offers the bribe and him who takes it. Either, upon conviction of such offense, can be punished by from one to three years confinement in the penitentiary, or by a fine of from \$100 to \$500 and six to twelve months in the county jail.

—The Kentucky House and Senate have a high regard for the memory of George Washington and will not sit again until Tuesday. As each body is far advanced in its work, no one should complain at the loss of a day, especially the fifty-fifth day, when everybody must be tired enough to rest. —[*Courier Journal*.]

—Mr. Thorne introduced a bill in the House to amend the charter of the Chesapeake & Nashville Railroad, permitting its extension from Eminence through Henry, Shelby, Trimble and Carroll Counties to the Ohio River opposite Madison, Ind., connecting there with the Chicago line. The Chesapeake & Nashville is working under the Charter of the old Cumberland & Ohio Railroad.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—John B. Gough, the eminent temperance lecturer, is dead at his home in Philadelphia.

—Eight sheep herders were killed in a fight with Apaches in Valencia county New Mexico.

—The Cincinnati Art Museum, now about finished, is one of the most beautiful institutions of the kind in the world.

—Kenward Philp, the reputed author of the noted "Morey letter" in the campaign of 1880, died yesterday in New York.

—Miss Mildred Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, is in Louisville and is being treated with distinguished honors.

—Seventy five Mormon converts passed through Lexington en route to Utah. They were from Tennessee and north Alabama.

—A petition for the pardon and release of John Board is being circulated through Casey county by John Etes. —[*Yosemite News*.]

—You can go to San Francisco from Louisville now on a first-class unlimited ticket at \$73; \$62.80 for a limited and \$39.75 for an emigrant.

—Gov. Lee, of Virginia, recommends a commission to explain to state creditors the terms proposed in 1881 and 1882, with a view to settlement upon them.

—Should the Superior Court be re-established, Henry county will present the name of Joseph Barbour, author of Barbour's Digest, for one of the judges.

—The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a call for ten million three per cent bonds, the principal and accrued interests of which will be paid April 1, next.

—Hon. Emmett Puryear, member of the State Board of Equalization for the Eleventh District, is announced as a candidate for Congress in that district to succeed Hon. Frank Wolford.

—Warden South says there are 1,140 convicts now upon the charge of the State, the maintenance of each of which at Frankfort will cost the State \$82.05 a year, or \$93,577 for the lot.

—The House Committee on Postoffice and Post Roads unanimously agreed to report adversely all bills before it for the purchase or construction of telegraph lines by the government. Good!

—Wilmington, N. C., suffered a \$1,000,000 fire Sunday. The fire originated in a steamboat and spreading to the wharves destroyed them and many valuable buildings and manufactories.

—Will Green, the youth who showed his affection for his mother by pounding her over the head with a scantling, knocking out one eye, has skipped for parts unknown. —[*Lexington Transcript*.]

—Col. E. P. Wilson, late passenger agent of the Cincinnati Southern, has been elected permanent Arbitrator of the Chicago, St. Paul and Missouri Pacific.

—The salary of \$8,000.

—The dead bodies of two negro boys were found tied to a sapling in the woods near Savannah. They were brothers of John Graham, who is crazy on religion, and it is thought he killed them as sacrifices.

—Charles Linker accidentally shot and fatally wounded Isaac Nelson in the charivari of a newly married couple at Hazel Patch. It would be as well if all who engaged in the foolish business had fared the same fate.

—Two Mormon missionaries attempted to hold services in a colored church at Guntown, East Tennessee, when the congregation assailed them with sticks and stones and ran them out of the neighborhood, one of them receiving severe wounds.

—Five men named Turner waylaid one named Lane near Pineville Saturday and fired upon him. Lane saw one of the Turners step from behind a tree and shot him dead. Almost immediately afterward Lane fell, his body being pierced by several bullets.

—Mr. Hoar introduced a bill in the United States Senate appropriating \$150,000 for a fitting monument to Gen. Grant at Washington. On the motion of Senator Logan the amount was increased to \$250,000 and the bill was referred to the Library Committee.

—Robert Lile was shot and fatally wounded by his father, John Lyle, the noted Green county desperado, near Littleton. The son upbraided his father for getting drunk and mistreating his family, and the latter shot his boy in the back while he was ringing the bell for dinner.

—In the Lexington circuit court, Judge Morton decided that the act passed by the Legislature some years ago allowing pool-selling to be conducted at the Panola Hotel during the weeks of the spring and fall meetings of the Kentucky Association is unconstitutional and the fines now standing against that company for the violation of the law must be paid.

—Mrs. James Bennett, of Richmond, is one of the leading advocates of women's rights and was the principal speaker when a committee of ladies representing the Women's Suffrage Association appeared before the House Judiciary Committee at Washington and presented an appeal for the submission of a Sixteenth amendment to the Constitution which shall guarantee suffrage to women.

—Henry Spillman, charged with the murder of Jeff Williams at a negro festival in Nicholasville, several years ago, was found guilty and his punishment put at 12 years in the State prison. Spillman is a very desperate man. He broke jail about two years since by knocking the jailer down and running over the guard, and was captured last February at Springfield, O.

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—Rev. S. E. Wishard has returned from Georgetown, where he has been holding a protracted meeting.

—The Danville Literary Club was entertained Friday night by Rev. E. H. Pierce. The subject discussed was Landlordism in America.

—About \$50 were realized from the entertainment given by Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson last Thursday for the benefit of Pleasant Grove church.

—The B. O. Cowling Medical Society met last Tuesday and elected Dr. Geo. Cowan president in the place of Dr. A. R. McKee, deceased. Dr. J. C. Bogle was elected Vice President. The next meeting will take place the 21 Tuesday in March.

—The citizens' relief committee, having for its object the relief of the poor people, met Friday night and organized by the election of Dr. S. Yerkes, president; G. W. Welsh, Jr., treasurer; C. N. Smith, secretary and Dr. S. Yerkes, H. G. Sandifer, W. B. Holmes, J. H. Otter, P. A. Marks, committee on distribution.

—Mr. G. W. Welsh, Sr., is quite ill from a cold caught about a week ago. Mr. R. M. Pittman is here on a visit from his new home in Polk county, Missouri. He is delighted with the country and reports his family equally well pleased. Mr. C. W. Metcalf, of the *Jessamine Journal*, is in town to-day. Mr. John P. Hughes, formerly of Lincoln county, is recovering from a severe illness. Miss Alice Nichols has gone to join Mr. H. C. Simons in his evangelistic work in Ohio.

—The College boys having finished Butler's Analogy will bury the dull old book according to the following:

BUTLER.

INSERIT "ANALOGY."

The few friends and many enemies are invited to attend the funeral of BISHOP JOE BUTLER, at the College Chapel, on Monday, Feb. 22nd, at 3 o'clock, p. m., thence to a hole in the ground, in which will be planted, Rt. Diabon, "Tommy" Rouse, P. S. Q. C. D., officiating.

—If old man George Washington could only be in Danville at this time and hear the oratory expended in honor of his natal day, he would be prouder than ever that he had been born. The following is the programme according to which the college boys celebrate the present anniversary.

MORNING EXERCISES.

Orator in behalf of Chamberlain Society, J. A. Stout, Danville, subject—"Do we want peace?"

Orator in behalf of Diogenes Society, S. J. Pulliam, Shelby City, subject—"Go Forward."

Orator in behalf of Chamberlain Society, R. W. Eastland, Harrodsburg, subject—"God reigns and the Government at Washington still lives."

EVENING EXERCISES.

Orator in behalf of Diogenes Society, W. H. Bryce, Indianapolis, Ind., subject—"Variety."

Orator in behalf of Chamberlain Society, J. M. Ripley, Perryville, subject—"Earth's drama still goes on."

Orator in behalf of Diogenes Society, G. A. Titterton, Dallas, Texas, subject—"The Hoop of Life."

Improving With Age.

Brother Smalls, the colored Congressman, who has long represented one of the South Carolina districts, will, we are assured by the *Charleston News and Courier*, probably vote the democratic ticket at the next election. "The announcement," adds our Charleston contemporary, "under ordinary circumstances would be received with surprise," but it will be accepted now as "only another of the miracles that have been worked by the democratic policy in the State and in the Union."

Bob Smalls, who is as black as a tar-baby, is regarded as one of the most faithful members of the House, and enjoys the respect of his associates of both parties. Among his dusky constituents at home he is considered a paragon. Two of them, so an old story goes, were once discussing their representative in Congress.

"I reckon," said one of them, "Smalls is de greatis man in de world!"

"You dun know what you talk'n 'bout nigger," exclaimed the other; "Smalls sint de greatis man in de world!"

"Smalls is de greatis man in de world," said the first.

"Ya-as—but Smalls, he young yit!"

Smalls is several years older now, and it is not at all inconsistent with his enthusiastic admirer's theory that he will become a wiser, a better and a greater man as he grows older that he has now declared his intention of voting the democratic ticket. —[*Courier Journal*.]

Sciatica Relieved by Cocaine.

Dr. W. B. Menz, of Vidalia, La., writes to the *Medical Record* that he was called to see a lady, fifty-five years of age, who had been a constant sufferer from sciatica for ten years. The pain was very severe and extended along the entire length of the nerve. She had run the whole gamut of anti-neuralgic remedies and had never obtained anything more than very transitory relief. Having with him a vial of four per cent. solution of cocaine hydrochlorate, Dr. Menz determined to try the efficacy of a subcutaneous injection. The hypodermic needle was inserted deeply over the sciatic foramen and about twenty drops of the solution were passed into the tissues. The pain ceased almost immediately and during the six weeks that have since elapsed has not returned, although there has been no further treatment and one injection only practiced. The relief given by other remedies had never been of more than from two to four hours' duration.

A writer in the *Scientific American* says that a bushel of corn is worth 30 cents. It will make 17 quarts of alcoholic liquor, which it costs the distiller \$1.70 to make. Total, \$2. Add the government tax and you have \$5.85. Then send it through the middle men and you increase its quantity one half, making about \$1 gallon. Sell it in drinks, 60 to the gallon and you have at 15 cents a drink, \$46.05.

This argument against female suffrage from Missouri pairs well with the Kentucky theory on the same question. Said a sovereign, when asked if he was in favor of extending the ballot to women, "Naw. When women gits ter runnin' round arier politics whose gwine ter dig the taters and shuck the corn? I don't want no women votin' around me." —[*Breckinridge News*.]

A barrel of fine flour of 180 pounds is made from an average of 280 pounds of wheat, the remaining eighty-four pounds being bran, middlings and low grade flour. The amount of flour made from sixty pounds of wheat varies a little with varieties of wheat, soft wheat yielding more flour than hard wheat.

Nothing is more silly than the pleasure some people take in "speaking their minds." A man of this make will say a rude thing for the mere pleasure of saying it, when an opposite behavior, full as innocent, might have preserved his friend or made his fortune.

Clare had been told not to leave his toys too near the fire, as they would unglue. One morning his sister was standing by the stove, when he called to her. "Nellie, go right away or you will all unglue."

One firm in western Massachusetts, last year, made 130,000 drums, using half a million feet of lumber, 35,000 sheep skins, 2,200 pounds of cord and tons of other fittings.

Benny's mother has a fine voice. One day, while she was singing, after watching her for a while, he said: "Mamma, I ain't got such a nice noise in my throat."

Wee Fanny bit her tongue one day, and came in crying bitterly. "What is it?" asked her mother. "Oo, mamma," she said, "my teeth stepped on my tongue."

A California girl has sold \$800 worth of feathers plucked from wild geese that she shot last fall. Several girls out there have made nearly as much.

The last rites over the remains of Hon. John G. Thompson, who died in Seattle, Washington Territory, took place at Columbus, O., Sunday.

Rev. J. L. Swift, a prominent divine of the Christian Church, at Livingston, Tenn., eloped with a woman named Eliza Harris. The woman is a notorious prostitute. Mr. Swift leaves a large family.

An attempt was made by unknown parties to hang Miss Georgia Aldridge at Windsor, Ill. She was discovered fortunately by her brother before life was extinct. The perpetrators of the outrage are threatened with lynching if discovered.

A delegation representing the ex Union soldiers who had been prisoners of war addressed the House Committee on Invalid Pensions in advocacy of bills granting pensions to all who were imprisoned more than sixty days. Why not turn the soldiers in the treasury and tell them to help themselves?

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Between the 25th and the 1st of this month, I will open a handsome line of "fall" and "winter" goods, and linen underwear, the very best quality, direct from New York. Please do not forget that I will also open a handsome line of Millinery April 1st. In the next issue I shall state where my room will be.

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PERSONAL.

—Mrs. H. C. BRIGHT is visiting relatives in Danville this week.

—Miss MAURIE NEWLAND is visiting relatives at Crab Orchard.

—J. W. NEWMITT and Jack Adams, Jr., of Mt. Vernon, were here yesterday.

—EVERYBODY is glad to see "Old Fatty" Nunnally back "land don" if they ain't.

—Misses ANNIE LOGAN, of Knoxville, and Jean Buchanan, of Crab Orchard, are visiting friends here and added much to the interest of the Rink and dance Friday night.

—A LANCASTER dispatch says: "Robert R. West, of this place has received an appointment to a clerkship in the Treasury Department at Washington, with a salary of \$1,200."

—Messrs. G. H. HOOKER and J. W. Rawlings, of Parkville, are here for the purpose of examining some slaves and other lumber for the latter, who is a saw mill man.

—Mrs. S. C. THURMANT arrived yesterday. Several hundred dollars worth of her furniture was stowed away in Mr. Myers' house and it was also burned. There was a small insurance on it.

LOCAL MATTERS.

BEST canned goods at Waters & Raney's.

New wood force pumps at W. H. Higgins. Call and see them.

The Rink will be open next Friday and until further notice. Its days are now nearly numbered.

COL. MILLER asks us to say that he most heartily thanks both his white and colored friends for their brave efforts to save his building from fire Sunday.

A SON of Mr. Alex. Traylor set a steel trap for a hawk that got away with one of his big roosters and caught one of the pests which measured 4 feet 4 inches from tip to tip.

YESTERDAY was the anniversary of the birth of the "Father of his country" and those patriotic citizens, the National Bank men, celebrated it by shutting up shop, but they are the only men that could afford it. Even the postoffice was open most of the day.

A DISPATCH from Junction City says: James Bulse, a young man of about 28 years of age, from Indiana, who was visiting his grandfather, Jesse Bulse, near Rich Hill, Casey county, committed suicide Saturday morning by shooting himself in the head near the left eye. When found he was dead, with his pistol lying on his breast. It is said he has been in very bad health for some time, which is supposed to be the cause of suicide.

MISTAKING some articles that we had copied from a sympathizing Missouri paper in regard to the Sigman matter, for the expression of our own sentiments, Mr. John M. Higginbotham, whose young brother, Sigman, so foully murdered, was disposed to accuse us of a leaning towards the murderer, but he should have known that we are never in sympathy with that class of criminals, everyone of whom we would like to see hung when proven guilty as charged.

A TRIUMPH to the Louisville Times from Washington says Mr. George P. Bright stood a good examination for post-office inspector, but the Postmaster General asked him if he had not suffered with eczema some months ago. Mr. Bright replied: "Yes; eight years ago." The Postmaster General asked then if he was not afraid it would return. Mr. Bright replied that was too much for him. "A physical as well as a mental examination is required to be passed for this office."

WERE THEY ROBERTS?—Sunday night as Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bruce were returning from Lancaster about 10 o'clock, and when near Mrs. Jim Logan's gate, they saw four men standing by a buggy in the middle of the road. They had to turn out of the middle of the road to pass them and as they did so one of the men advanced toward the buggy and peered in. The horse was thoroughly frightened, likewise the driver and his wife, and a lick from the whip made him dash off. The men began to talk very loudly, but as the buggy made so much noise rattling over the stony pike, their words were not understood. Mr. Bruce thinks the reports he heard were that of rocks thrown against the buggy but Mrs. Bruce declares they were pistol shots and that she saw the flashes produced by them. A hundred yards or so to this side of where the men were three horses were tied. It is a very mysterious piece of business and if there is no mistake, a very high-handed attempt to rob. We are glad that the couple escaped so fortunately. It was a very close shave and they admit that they were thoroughly frightened.

I AM receiving a very handsome line of spring goods and ask my patrons and others to call and see them. H. C. Rupley.

With the exception of a little snow storm, followed by a fall of the mercury to 15°, splendid weather has prevailed for a week.

I HAVE moved to the room lately vacated by the Postoffice and am ready to serve the ladies in underwear of all kinds. I will also have a fine line of Millinery by April 1. Mrs. Kate Dudders.

WHILE searching the house of Berry Crow, who lives on the Hayden place, for a hog stolen from Col. J. M. Beazley, sheriff Menefee found a plow hid under the negro's bed, which proved to be the property of the Colonel. The hog could not be found.

THE Traylor heirs very wisely concluded to compromise their differences in the contest of their father's will and so announced on Friday when it was called for trial. The will goes to probate, each heir gets in a good mood of what he thinks he ought to have and everybody but the lawyers are happy.

THE new firm of Metcalf & Foster, composed of Thomas Metcalf and John B. Foster, make their initial bow to the public in this issue and will continue to tell the public during the year of their low prices and the advantages to be gained by trading with them. They are popular and deserving young men and we hope they will succeed to their fullest expectations.

AMUSING things happen even at a funeral and of course there is more liability for them to occur at a funeral. Sunday when Steve Myers' house was burning down, a heavy wind threatened to carry the flames to the house of a neighbor across the street, when that gentleman became so excited that he got a pint cup and filling it half full of water stood ready to extinguish the fiery fiend. At least that's what they tell on him.

THERE was a large turnout of Old Fellows at the funeral of Mr. Robert H. Wearen, the members of which order were exceedingly attentive to him during his late illness. Mr. Wearen was also a member of the Knights of the Golden Rule, which carries with it an insurance of \$2,000 and he also held a policy in the Presbyterian Association for \$2,000. One of these is for the benefit of Mrs. Geo. D. Wearen and the other for Malic C. Wearen.

As he was walking up Lancaster street Sunday night Green Baughman says he was attacked by another colored man, who began to deal him furious slashes with a knife in the breast without saying a word. He knocked him down two or three times and was himself knocked down once, but not badly hurt. His vest was cut in half a dozen places, but the knife did not reach the skin. Another man stood near, but he did not recognize either.

FINX.—Sunday, just as the morning services at the churches were closed, the alarm of fire rang through the streets and soon the largest half of our population were driving or running to the building on Somerset street occupied by Mr. S. B. Myers as a residence and owned by Col. T. W. Miller. It was already wrapped in flames, which had advanced so far in their work of destruction that the attempt to save any of its contents was as hazardous as it was futile, only a couple of trunks and a few minor articles being gotten out. Mr. Myers was down town at the time and his wife and children, who were in the house, were not conscious of a fire until it had made great headway. Unfortunately Mr. Myers who had been in a financial straits for some time was unable to renew his insurance on his furniture when the policy expired February 8th, so he loses every thing. Col. Miller held \$1,200 in the Home of New York on the building. Mr. Myers and family are at present at Dr. Bourne's. They are in a most unfortunate condition, but the citizens are coming to their rescue with donations that are greatly needed.

STRANGE INDEED.—On Saturday night about 7 o'clock as we were walking down town through the chilly air we passed a buggy that was being driven pretty rapidly. The voices of a man and woman could be plainly heard above the rattle, but as both seemed in a happy tone, we thought the occupants were lovers who did not mind the Borean blasts, for when the heart is warm wind and snow can do harm. The circumstance would likely never have been recalled but for the following, which we learned from Mr. John W. Rout: "About 7 o'clock Saturday night as I was sitting at home with my family, we heard the piercing scream of a woman, several times repeated, together with 'Please Jim, oh, please Jim, don't.' Beyerly and I went at once to the street, when the report of a pistol rent the air and the screaming ceased. We followed the buggy, for the screams and pistol report both came from it, but it was going at such a rapid rate that it was soon over the bridge and far up the cemetery hill. We came across Mr. John W. Watson, who had also been called to the street by the screams and he said that just as he got out a buggy passed at full speed, a man astraddle the horse and spurting and beating for dear life, while a male and female voice could be heard inside the buggy. He then walked on as far as the toll-gate, where he learned that the buggy with the inmates, hid by a blanket or shawl, had dashed up to it, when Mr. Miller enquired who was there, at the same time raising the pole. Without saying a word or offering the money, the lash was applied to the horse and he dashed off at full speed." Although we made diligent efforts to trace them beyond the toll-gate we were unable to hear more of them and we have only to add this to the two other mysterious cases mentioned on this page.

SOME one sends us a marked copy of a South English, Iowa, paper, containing a notice of the death of Mrs. Mary Hall, widow of Moses Hall. She was 89 years old and formerly lived near Crab Orchard.

THE windy weather of March is coming on and dwellings, stores, barns and their contents are in danger from fire. Insure with Joe M. Phillips at Stanford before your property burns and you will feel better and get paid if you should have a loss. Don't put it off.

AS MR. AND MRS. W. G. DUNN were driving out Sunday the tongue of their buggy broke while going down a hill near Lancaster causing the horses to run off. The vehicle was turned over and both of its occupants thrown to the ground. Mrs. Dunn was knocked senseless and remained so for some time, but was apparently all right yesterday. Mr. Dunn was not hurt.

MARRIAGES.

—Mr. R. E. Thompson, son of David Thompson, a wealthy farmer of Garrard county, and Miss Fannie Bragg, daughter of Mrs. M. C. Bragg, of Mt. Vernon, eloped to Jeffersonville Friday and were married. Miss Bragg used to go to school here and was not over fifteen years of age. They were accompanied by Miss Cleo Williams, of Mt. Vernon, and Mr. Price, of Garrard county, and Messrs F. L. Thompson and D. C. Pointer.

RELIGIOUS.

—There are 136 churches in Louisville.

—The Virginia Conference of the M. E. Church, South, has over 63,900 members.

—There has not been a death at the Baptist Orphan's Home at Louisville for five years.

—The indictments against the Converse Brothers, Presbyterian preachers and editors, at Louisville, were sustained and they were held by an ecclesiastical court for trial on 25 charges of lying.

—Sam Jones says: "If there is anything in God Almighty's world that I hate it is a man with a little cotton string for a backbone, with a couple of ribs sewed on to it. Judas Iscariot betrayed his master for thirty pieces of silver, but there are men today who will do it for nothing and board themselves."

—The union services at this place closed Sunday night, with a grand total of about fifty additions. Few revivals have stirred the community as has this one, and though the number of conversions is very satisfactory, they probably represent but a small part of the good work which has been wrought.—[Woodford Sun.]

—The revival meeting at the M. E. Church, South, closed last Sunday night, after continuing day and night for more than a month. Much good has been accomplished and 43 persons have united with that congregation. Brothers J. S. Keen and Beville left last Monday. Thirty-three persons were poured upon at the church, last Sunday morning, and in the afternoon Brother Keen baptized Mr. and Mrs. John Hall and Miss Annie Carter in Sinking Creek.—[Somerset Reporter.]

—The bitterest and meanest partisan in he who has recently changed his politics and the worst of all sinners is the backslider. Mr. Chas. C. Moore, who used to be a Presbyterian preacher, but who fell from grace, in a long and bitter article on Sam Jones and Mr. Barnes, used this beautiful language in the course of it, for which he ought to be ashamed: "I would rather have malignant seven-year itch, fourteen times as contagious as small pox to come here than to have either of them come to Lexington, but if we can't quarantine against them, and if we must have one of them here, I would, four to one, rather have Bro. Barnes, goose grease and all, than to have Sam Jones. In fact, if Miss Marie is as good looking as ever and grinds that organ like she used to, it's not a bad show."

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—Hay for sale. I. M. Bruce.

—Corn for sale. M. S. Peyton, Stanford.

—For Sale. White seed oats. F. Reid, Stanford.

—Will Hays sold his sorrel mare to H. R. Hiatt for \$155.

—For SALE.—14 good work mules. J. E. & B. G. Gover, Stanford.

—Brazilian Flour Corn seed raised by John Bright at W. H. Higgins.

—Jas. McElwain & Co. bought 33 mules from Capt. Wm. Buntin, in Simpson county, for \$4,100 and six from Cat Hobby for \$600.

—Phillips & Wilson bought in Barren county 22 mules 14½ to 15½ hands high and six years old at \$85 to \$150 per head.

—FOR SALE.—A young jack, 4 years old, black, about 14 hands high, heavy bodied, lengthy, and a good breeder. Apply to R. H. Bronnagh, Crab Orchard, Ky. At.

—New hemp has been coming in quite freely this week. The manufacturers here say the quality is excellent. \$5.60 per 112 pounds seems to be the ruling price.—[Lexington Gazette.]

—At J. M. Hughes' sale clover hay sold at \$10 per ton and corn at \$2.50 per barrel. Horses brought from \$85 to \$100; 3 work mules sold for \$140 to \$170; yearling cattle, \$30.05 per head.—[Jesseamine Journal.]

—Tobacco men about Lexington are paying enormous prices for good land. Several farmers, who possess property with large barns and other improvements, have leased it for \$25 per acre.—[Bourbon News.]

—A stock car containing 1,000 geese was shipped from this place yesterday for New York. The geese were bought in various parts of the county at 25 to 30 cents apiece.—[Richmond Register.]

—A. T. Nunnally returned from Atlanta Sunday, where he has been for the last month disposing of a car load of mules. They ran from 14 to 15½ hands high and brought from \$80 to \$110. The market is extremely dull.

—Twelve registered Jerseys sold at \$99 and 10 unregistered at \$41.05 in Bonham.

—Peter Paul, of Richmond, Va., bought a car load of horses and mules here—mules from \$80 to \$150; horses from \$80 to \$120. At Whitney's sale the farm sold at \$110. Mules in pairs at \$242 to \$280 and mule colts at \$41.25.—[Mt. Sterling Democrat.]

—Col. Hugh Anderson sold 27 bogsheads of tobacco at Louisville at \$7.40 clear of all expenses. L. C. Pope sold 6 hogheads at the same place at \$8.90. Mr. L. M. Blair refused 10 cents for his crop of 8 acres.—[Georgetown Times.]

—LANCASTER COURT.—About 200 head of cattle on the market yesterday; about 50 sold. Prices ranged from 3 to 3½. A good many horses sold at prices ranging from \$100 to \$125. Mules sold at from \$85 to \$125. Good crowd and business a little livelier in cattle trade.

CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—John Magee has bought out the grocery store of Stark Fitch.

—Hiram Hiatt bought of Robt. Collier a combined mare 5 years old for \$175. R. H. Bronnagh bought a bay horse of J. Will James for \$110.

—Our sick list: Mrs. Jael Cooper, Mrs. W. P. Tate, Miss Sabra Hayee, Mrs. John Edmiston, Mrs. Holden, Willie Edmiston, Susie and Mary Saunders and Bulah Carson.

—George Moore distinguished himself for fearlessness and activity last Thursday by leaping into a wagon as it was flying past, drawn by a runaway team, and getting hold of the lines succeeded in stopping their flight before any damage was done.

—Robt. Collier has returned from Alabama. Misses Lura and Leila Dooree went to Danville to the College 224 entertainment. Miss Kate Logan is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Edmiston and Mrs. Robinson. Miss Nannie Wood, of Danville, is visiting Miss Louana James. Candidates, we have with us every day. Rev. J. B. Abbott has moved to Woodstock.

—J. T. Lasley and Stewart Carson have departed for the land of flowers, where mosquitoes thousands thick howl mournfully as they charge north a glittering sheen of silvery wings, with exceeding long lances and keen with which to slit the ear and nose of the welcome emigrant, not that he sorely repenteth him that he was ever born. We most sincerely hope the boys will do well and improve in health and purse.

—The birthday of the noblest patriot ever born in America is kept here to-day something after the fashion of 1796, but by no means from the same spirit—that of disrespect. It will be remembered that on account of some terms made with England by Mr. Jay and sanctioned by Washington (then President) that Congress stooped to the littleness of refusing to adjourn and pay him the respect of a "birthday call" in a body.

GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

Lancaster.

—Uncle Ben Moran, a well-known old colored man, died Saturday night.

—Rev. Robt. B. West has not fully decided yet to accept the appointment to a clerkship in the Treasury department at \$1,200 a year.

—The Owsley Riders will receive all of their guns, &c., this week, together with about twenty uniforms. The next thing expected is an order to go to Rowan and Letcher county.

—Master John Roberts has been seriously ill of inflammation of the stomach for several days. His physician announced at one time that his recovery was impossible, but we are glad to say his chances now are more favorable.

—Mr. A. Goodloe Lackey, of Marshall, Mo., is in town, called here by the illness of his mother, Mr. D. M. Lackey. Miss Emma Sanford, of Stanford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Dunn in lower Garrard. Miss Kate Mason is ill with something like pneumonia. Messrs. Burdette & Walton now have their law office in the rooms over the National Bank.

—Friday, April 15, has been fixed as the day for the execution of Henry Pash at Bardstown. The case has been appealed.

—Senator Fair, of Nevada, made his appearance in the Senate Saturday for the first time since the opening of the session. Senator Miller, of California, has not been in the Senate Chamber, the probabilities are he never will get there. Senator Jones, of Florida, is still among the missing.

An anxious inquirer asks: "Where would you advise me to go to learn to play on the piano?" To the woods, dear, to the deep, dark, damp, dank, dangerous woods.

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